

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL OPERATIONS AND BUSINESS OF THE
DEPARTMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st MARCH, 1925.**

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS.

The receipts and payments of the Department for the financial year 1924-25 are shown in the following table :—

Item.	Postal.		Telegraph.		Total.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
<i>Receipts.</i>						
Postages	988,386	15 11½	..	..	988,386	15 11½
Money-order and postal-note commission	50,703	18 11	..	..	50,703	18 11
Money-order commission received from foreign offices ..	938	15 11	..	..	938	15 11
Private box and bag rents and rural delivery fees ..	49,856	4 2	..	..	49,856	4 2
Miscellaneous receipts	168,056	1 5	15,189	4 8½	183,245	6 1½
Paid telegrams	..	..	404,707	6 0	404,707	6 0
Paid tolls	..	..	344,393	4 1½	344,393	4 1½
Telephone exchange rentals and miscellaneous	..	..	867,218	6 3	867,218	6 3
Totals	1,257,941	16 4½	1,631,508	1 1	2,889,449	17 5½
<i>Payments.</i>						
Salaries	602,832	0 1	886,494	1 1	1,489,326	1 2
Conveyance of ocean mails	76,424	13 2	..	..	76,424	13 2
Conveyance of inland mails	134,010	10 0	..	..	134,010	10 0
Conveyance of mails by rail	102,023	3 3	..	..	102,023	3 3
Money-order commission credited to foreign offices ..	2,821	8 10	..	..	2,821	8 10
Maintenance of telegraph and telephone lines	..	..	234,284	1 7	234,284	1 7
Motor services and workshops	37,144	6 6	33,968	11 6	71,112	18 0
Miscellaneous	151,273	11 2	154,980	16 6	306,254	7 8
	1,106,529	13 0	1,309,727	10 8	2,416,257	3 8
Balance of receipts over payments	151,412	3 4½	321,780	10 5	473,192	13 9½
Totals	1,257,941	16 4½	1,631,508	1 1	2,889,449	17 5½

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS FOR THE YEARS 1881-82, 1891-92, 1901-2, 1911-12, AND FOLLOWING YEARS.

Year.	Receipts.	Payments.	Balance of Receipts over Payments.	Excess of Payments over Receipts.
	£	£	£	£
1881-1882	234,529	233,291	1,238	..
1891-1892	320,058	268,343	51,715	..
1901-1902	488,573	465,756	22,817	..
1911-1912	1,087,710	988,911	98,799	..
1912-1913	1,167,826	1,069,272	98,554	..
1913-1914	1,269,921	1,173,314	96,607	..
1914-1915	1,359,059	1,246,850	112,209	..
1915-1916	1,695,757	1,296,522	399,235	..
1916-1917	1,809,317	1,370,810	438,507	..
1917-1918	1,837,260	1,489,446	347,814	..
1918-1919	1,972,539	1,702,048	270,491	..
1919-1920	2,106,995	1,944,161	162,834	..
1920-1921	2,590,441	2,591,786	..	1,345
1921-1922	2,811,535	2,451,571	359,964	..
1922-1923	2,687,768	2,114,994	572,774	..
1923-1924	2,688,954	2,120,584	568,370	..
1924-1925	2,889,450	2,416,257	473,193	..